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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
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- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

In response to the *Notification to File Missing Parts of Application* dated May 3, 2004, enclosed is an executed *Declaration and Power of Attorney* form and a *Petition of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a)*. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$505.00 which includes \$385.00 for the basic filing fee, \$65.00 surcharge for late declaration and a (1) month extension fee of \$55. This applicant qualifies as a small entity.

Please charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to the Deposit Account 502694.

It is felt that a full and complete response has been made to the *Notification to File Missing Parts of Application*. If the Examiner feels, for any reason, that a personal interview will expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to phone applicant's attorney.

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